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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
AKIHISA HORIUCHI) Examiner: T. Thompson
Appln. No.: 09/698,115 /) Group Art Unit: 2873
Filed: October 30, 2000)
For: ZOOM LENS AND OPTICAL) February 15, 2002
APPARATUS USING THE SAME :

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 16, 2001 to February 16, 2002. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

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Amendment

In response to the Office Action dated October 16, 2001, the period for response to which having been extended to February 14, 2002, by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time and fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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